IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA SOUTHERN DIVISION

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AMERICAN CANOE ASSOCIATION,)	DEC 10 '98
INC., et al.,	DAVIL PLOT HEAD, SLEAK
Plaintiffs,)	U.S. (1977-191 19URT) E. 8157, N.S. GAR.
)	Civil Action No.: 7-98-CV-4-F(1)
v.)	Civil Action No.: 7-98-CV-19-F(1)
	Civil Action No.: 5-98-CV-209-F(1)
MURPHY FARMS, INC., d/b/a MURPHY)	`,
FAMILY FARMS and D.M. FARMS OF)	
ROSE HILL, L.L.C.	
Defendants)	

ALTERNATIVE MOTION TO JOIN THE NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES AS A PARTY

In the event that the United States Environmental Protection Agency's motion to intervene is granted, then pursuant to Rule 19(a)(1) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, D.M. Farms of Rose Hill L.L.C. and Murphy Farms, Inc. move to join the North Carolina Department of Environment and Natural Resources ("Department") as a party to this action. For the reasons set forth in the accompanying Memorandum, the Department should be joined as a defendant if the United States Environmental Protection Agency is allowed to intervene because, in the Department's absence, complete relief cannot be accorded among those already parties.

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